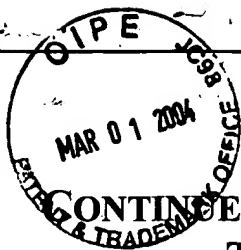


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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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| First Named Inventor | MCCURDY, RICHARD J. |
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| Examiner Name | Bret P. Chen |
| Matter Number | A7942 |
| Title | METHOD FOR DEPOSITING TITANIUM OXIDE COATINGS ON FLAT GLASS (AS AMENDED) |

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
 - i. ☐ Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on _____
 - ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
 - iii. ☐ Other _____
- b. ☒ Enclosed
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 - ii. ☒ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
 - iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statements (IDS)
 - iv. ☒ Petition for Extension of Time
 - v. ☐ Other _____

2. MISCELLANEOUS

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ Months
- b. ☐ Other _____

3. FEES

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 29, 2003, time for responding thereto extended to February 29, 2004 by a Petition for Three Month Extension of Time being filed concurrently herewith, please consider the remarks as submitted herewith on the accompanying pages. For the Examiner's convenience, a listing of pending claims is also included.

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